

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Status of the Application

A Notice of Drawing Inconsistency with Specification was mailed on September 16, 2009. The Notice requested correction of the application because the application included a drawing, Fig. 3(c), which was not listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification. Applicants apologize for any inconvenience that may have been caused by this error and have included a replacement paragraph in this Amendment that corrects the specification by referencing Fig. 3(c) in the appropriate location in the specification.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, Applicant believes all claims now pending in this Application are in condition for allowance. The issuance of a formal Notice of Allowance at an early date is respectfully requested.

In the event that a fee or refund is due in connection with this Amendment, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No 19-0615. If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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